NORWICH, CONN., THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1909.

SUDDEN DEATH OF H. H. ROGERS

Early Wednesday Morning at His New York Residence, No. 3 East Seventy-Eighth Street

VICE PRESIDENT STANDARD OIL COMPANY

Seized with Acute Attack of Apoplexy and Died Before Arrival of Family Physician-Apparently in Normal Health Tuesday-Deceased One of the Most Successful Men of Standard Oil Group.

which Mr. Rogers opened recently, is such that its prosperity will not be

John D. Ryan will probably suc-

ceed Mr. Rogers in the presidency of the Amalgamated Copper company.

Began Life as a Poor Boy.

Fortune Estimated at \$75,000,000.

Leaves a Family.

ed, and the following daughters: Mrs. W. E. Benjamin, Mrs. Urben H. Broughten and Mrs. William R. Coe.

in His Pockets.

Bridgeport, Conn., May 19 .- Benja-

Among letters in the pockets was

Among letters in the pockets was one from a brother, Robert Irby, of Irby, Brydie & Co., Orb, Va., and sev-eral from a woman in Washington, D. C., full of endearing terms and com-plaining of his alleged desertion of

SUGAR TRUST DENGUNCED

Tariff Bill in Senate-Metal Schedule

Sections Agreed to.

fore the senate today by Senator

All sections of the metal schedule

SHERIFF SHOT BY NEGRO.

of Official from Ambush.

\$200,000 FIRE AT MEMPHIS.

Large Plant of Cotton Seed Oil Com-

pany Destroyed.

Memphis, Tenn. May 19.—The plant of the Memphis Cotton Seed Oil com-pany; one of the largest in the south,

was destroyed by fire early today, at a loss of nearly \$200,000, including the

machinery and stock.

A number of empty freight cars near

the building were destroyed A large amount of oil in fanks was saved.

Rains in Good Condition, Must Work.

Ossining, N. Y., May 19.—Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., who was taken to

a few days.

A SUICIDE AT BRIDGEPORT

New York, May 13.—Henry H. Rogers, vice president of the Standard Oil
company, moving spirit in the organreation of the Amalganated Copper
company, builder oft realizoads and
philanthropist, died tonight at his New
York residence, at No. 3 East Seventy,
eighth street.

69 Years of Age.

Death came at 7.20 oclock this
morning, a little more than an hour
after Mr. Rogers had risen for the
station.

Death came at 7.20 o'clock this morning, a little more than an hour after Mr. Rogers had risen for the day, after mentioning to his wife that he was feeling ill. At 7 o'clock he lapsed into unconsciousness, and before the family physician arrived he was dead, apoplexy, from which he had suffered in 1907, having returned in a more acute form, which, in his advanced age, 63 years, he could not withstand. Mrs. Rogers, three married daughters, a son, H. H. Rogers, Jr., and Dr. W. J. Pulley, a physician who was hastly summoned, were at the bedside when the end came.

Had Been in Indifferent Health.

While Mr. Rogers' death was sud-den and unexpected, he had been in indifferent health since the apoplectic stroke of 1907, and almost constantly

under a physician's care.

His end at this time, however, was a great shock to his family and busia great shock to his family and business associates, for yesterday and last evening he was cheerful and apparently in normal health, even to the extent of going down to business yesterday morning, where he lunched, as usual, in the Standard Oil building, No. 36 Broadway. In the evening he wisited the homes in this city of two of his sons-in-law, Urben H. Broughton and William R. Coe, where he played with his grandchildren, and later returned to his home for what proved his last earthly sleep.

Funeral Services Friday.

Finel arrangements for the funeral

Final arrangements for the funeral had not been completed tonight, but it has been decided to hold services on Friday morning at the Church of the Messiah, Park avenue and Thirtythe Messiah, Park avenue and Thirty-fourth street, a Unitarian institution, of which the Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer, a lifelong friend of Mr. Rogers; is pastor. Dr. Collyer will conduct the services, after which the body will be taken to Fairhaven, Mass., Mr. Rogers native town, for interment. Services will be held there in the Unitarian church on Saturday. The list of pailbearers had been only tentatively agreed upon tonight, and accordingly was not made public. I agreed upon tonight, and accordingly was not made public.

Prominent Callers at the Rogers Home The Rogers home towight is silent, save for the muffled tread of prominent callers, who began arriving ear-

COLORED MAN FROM VIRGINIA WOULD-BE AVENGER OF PRESIDENT GARFIELD On Trial Charged With Murder of a Valuable Gold Watch and Ninety Cents

Farmhand. Washington, May 19 .- William (Bill Washington May 19.—William (Bili)
Jones, who many years ago attracted
national interest when he attempted
to avenge the killing of President Garfield by shooting at Charles Guiteau,
the assassin, while the latter was being removed from the court house to
the jail in this city, was placed on
trial today charged with the murder of
John A. McPherson, a former marine,
who was employed by Jones as a
farmhand. McPherson was killed Oct.

11. 1908, in Jones' home, about two 11 1908, in Jones' home, about two ders, but when railroad men threw him miles from this city, during a quaerel, a rope he drew his head beneath the

Jones pleaded self defense.

It was during Guiteau's trial that
Jones created a national-wide sensahad a valuable gold watch and ninety ion. One day while the træl was cents in cash.

Among lette one from a betaken to the jail. Jones, mounted upon a spir-ited animal, dashed through the crowds toward the wagen and whipping a re-volver from his hip pocket fired several shots at the assassin, one of the bullets grazing his head. Jones made his escape into the country. Later he was captured and brought back to the city, but was never prosecuted. For years afterward he practically heed the life of a hermit on the outsidets of the city and interest in his career was revived only by his arrest in connection with the killing of McPherson.

MARRIED AT SHORT BEACH. New York Sculptor Borglum and Miss Mary Montgomery.

New York, May 19,-Announcemen was made here tonight that Gutbon Borglum, the New York sculptor, and Miss Mary Montgomery of this city were married at noon today at the residence of the Rev. Marshall Mont-gomery, the bride's brother, at Short Boach Conn. The wadding was will The wedding was wi and friends of the bride and bride gromm. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Marshall Montgomery. After the wedding breakfast Mr. and

Mrs. Borglum left immediately for Canada, where they will remain until the middle of June, when Mr. Borg-lum will return to receive the honotary degree of master of arts at

Princeton.

Mrs. Borgium is a distinguished scholar and Assyrologist, a graduate of Wellesley, and has the degree of doctor of philosophy from the University of Berlin.

Columbia, S. C., May 19.—Great excitement was created at Lexington, iten miles from Columbia, today, by the shooting from ambush of Sheriff P. H. Corley by a negro for whom he had a warrant and evictment papers. Corley was shot in the force with both

ARRESTED IN PARIS. St. Louis Real Estate Operator Charged With Forgery.

St. Louis, May 19.—M. Dwight Fortner, a St. Louis real estate operator, was arrested today in Paris, according to a cable message received here by detective agency. Fortner missing since February 17. der indictments on charges of obtain-ing \$11,500 by means of a forged indorsement on a check given him in a real estate deal, which failed of ac-ceptance. He is also accused of hav-ing forged his wife's signature to several trust deeds and obtaining money

Myer, assistant cashier of the post-office here, was arrested today, charg-ed with the embeaziement of \$1,400.

Cabled Paragraphs

Paris, May 19.—W. K. Vanderbilt's Chandos won the Prix Noelle at Trem-bly today. H. P. Duryea's Rose Noble ran in the Prix Partlet, but did not get

St. Petersburg, May 19.—The report published in the Novoe Vremya May 15th, that M. Goremykin, former premier, was to be appointed minister of foreign affairs in succession to M. Iswoisky, was learned today to be without foundation.

Constantinople, May 19.-The grand Constantinople, May 19.—The grand vizier has chosen a small committee to visit Abdul Hamid, the deposed sultan of Turkey, at Salonica, and ask him to give up to the present government the money he has on deposit in foreign countries. This committee will remind Ahdul Hamid that his life was spared ond will be spared; that the government allows him \$5,969 a month for his maintenance, and that it is only just that he should return the money drawn from the country. It is expected that Abdul Hamid will consent to this proposal. onsent to this proposal

HEARING ON JUDGES.

Formal Matter Before Judiciary Com-

(Special to The Bulletin.) Hartford, May 19.—The executive nominations of Gardiner Greene of Norwich and Marcus H. Holcomb of Southington to be judges of the superior court from dates next year whem the present chief justice of the supreme court, Judge Baldwin, and Judge Robinson of the superior court, who will go to the superior court, who will go to the supreme bench before he reaches the age limit, retire because of their reaching the age of 70, were assigned for hearing before the judiclary committee this afternoon, as is the custom in such matters.

The hearing was, however, merely erfunctory in character and there is of course no question about favorable reports to the senate on these nomi-nations. There is no occasion for es-pecial hurry, though, and it is likely to be some days before they are sent

Banks of the house is to succeed Judge Holcomb as attorney general is current

FIRED WITH TALES OF GOLD. Police Looking for Two Schoolboys Who Left Home Monday,

New York, May 19.-Frank E. Jill on, an insurance broker, has asked the colice to send out a general alarm for his 13 year old son, Bruce Edward, who disappeared from his home at No. 4 West One Hundred and Elighth street West One Hundred and Eighth street, last Monday. At the same time the boy's companion, Harry McCullen, of No. 69 West One Hundred and Eighth

treet, left for parts unknown. The two boys attended a chool at One Hundred and Until recently he held the reins of the Standard Oll company consequent upon the retirement of John D. Rocke-feller, although J. B. Archhold attend-ed to the routine management of the great corporation. Just how much street and Amsterdam avenue. Some time ago they formed the acquaintance of a Cuban boy, and the latter filled their heads with tales of gold hunting in the mountains Mr. Jillson believes the boys have gone to the Catskills.
Young Bruce started for school on
Monday morning, presumably, but did
not return. In the afternoon his mother money Mr. Rogers leaves is not known. His fortune is variously estimated at from \$50,000,000 to \$75,000,000, which will make his son, H. H. Rogers, Jr., one of the richest young men in the not return. In the afternoon his mother received a letter from him in which he said he did not think she would ever see him again. He was tired of studying, he wrote, and was never coming back home. The letter filled the mother with alarm and a search was immediately instituted. The widow he leaves is his second wife, his first wife having died four-teen years ago; and he is survived also by four children, the son mention-

ITS LONG JOURNEY ENDED. Thomas Pathfinder Car Delivers Let ters to Mayor of Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., May 19.- The Thou bey today at the Alaska-Yukon-Pa-cific exposition grounds and delivered letters from the mayor and postmaster of New York to the mayor and postmaster of Seattle,

Reduction of Wages in Fall River

Cloth Mills Possible. Fall River, Mass., May 19 .- A redution in wages amounting to eight per cent. in the pay of 25,000 operatives in the print cloth mills of Fall River possible on June 14, according to the announcement made tonight. The reduction is a result of the sliding cale agreement between the textile

\$7,500 Fire at Warehouse Point. Warehouse Point, Conn., May 19,-Windsor house, a laundry and three barns connected with the hotel and a harn owned by J. C. J. Ensiee, with a loss of about \$7,500. The fire started he hotel, from an unknown cause. The cass to C. J. and E. Parsons, the proprietors of the hotel, is about \$5,000, and \$2,500 to Mr. Enslee, who had a igar manufactory in his barn.

Mohonk Lake Conference. Mohonk Lake, N. Y., May 19.—The scakers at tonight's session of the ohonk conference were Senor Don macio Calderon, Bolivian minister Washington, May 19.—A denunciation of the sugar trust and an appeal for a smaller differential duty on refined sugar in the interest of consumers were the features of a long speech the United States: Rear Admiral H. Stockton, U. S. N., William I. uchanan, Karl Von Lewinski of Berthe state department at Washing Clay of Georgia.

Mr. Paynter sought to have the duty in linetype and other typesetting machines reduced from 39 per dent. ad ton. A paper by Dr. Leo S. Ro was read by the secretary of the co ference, Clinton Rogers Woodruff. chines reduced from 39 per cent ad valorem, as provided in the tariff hill, to 10 per cent ad valorem, but by a vote of 35 to 43 his amendment was rejected.

PAJAMA CLUB DANCE.

Semi-Annual Event of Well Known Club Greatly Enjoyed.

were agreed to before adjournment, and Mr. Aidrich announced that to-morrow he would take up sections preor's Wednesday evening by the Pajami lub had an attendance of forty couples passed over in the chemical cluding friends from Hartford Groton. Westerly and New London, all inding the evening right up to the trandard of sociability set and expect-Black Man Pours Buckshot Into Face d at the dances of this enterprising lub, As usual the souvenir pro-crammes were a neat and attractive feature, being in a rich shade of dark green and brown, with the club em-blem in gold, enclosed in a scroll and poppy design. During the evening was announced with regret by Profes-for Miller that the club mascot was Coriev was shot in the face with bucknot and is said to be dying.

The negro probably will be lynched. bave her attendance regularly within

few years. The decorations consisted of the lub banners. Mabrey served punch

FUNERAL. Michael Murphy.

Michael Murphy.

There was a very large attendance Wednesday morning at the funeral of Michael Murphy, which took place from his home. No. 185 Mount Pleasnat street, at \$,10 o'clock. The bearcrs were John Murphy, James H. Cantry William Casey, Peter O'Neil, John Crimmings and Timothy Connor. The body was conveyed to \$t. Patrick's church, where at 9 o'clock Rev. Hugh Treanor was celebrant of a salemn high mass. Rev. F. L. Fitzpatrick was deacon and Rev. W. A. Gildea was bezzlement.

Baltimore, Md., May 19.—William S.

peter C. Halns, Jr., who was taken to sing hass. Rev. F. L. Fitzpatrick sing Sing prison yesterday to begin his sentence for the killing of William sub-deacon. The organist conducted source, was arrested today, chargement of the post-like the prison physician, who was taken to singh mass. Rev. F. L. Fitzpatrick was deacon and Rev. W. A. Gildea was sub-deacon. The organist conducted the singing and during the services with the embeaziement of \$1,400. dition. Warden Frost said that he were many beautiful flowers. There were many beautiful flowers. There were many beautiful flowers. There were many beautiful flowers.

Secretary of War Connecticut Dickinson III

CONDITION NOT ALARMING BUT SLIGHT FEVER SETS IN.

HAVANA VISIT CUT SHORT

Secretary and Party Sailed Last Night for the North on the Converted Yacht Mayflower.

Havana, May 19.—The visit of the American secretary of war, Jacob II. Dickinson, to Havana has been cut short, owing to his illness, and the United States converted yacht Maydower, in which he arrived here yesterday, sailed at 16 o'clock tonight with the secretary and party aboard. Will Be Taken Direct to Washington.

Secretary Dickinson will be taken direct to Washington. He has been confined to his stateroom for three days, suffering from vesical stone. His condition is not alarming, but there was a slight fever today, indicating some inflammation, and the attending physician decided that it would not be advisable for him to remain longer in a was a slight fever today, indicating some inflammation, and the attending physician decided that it would not be advisable for him to remain longer in a dopted and the bill as amended warm climate.

EVENTFUL DAY FOR MR. TAFT. President on Historic Battlefields of

President on Historic Battlefields of the South.

Petersburg, Va., May 19.—After driving today over the historic roads and battlefields through clouds of choking white dust, President Taft attended the unveiling of a shaft of granite and a heroic figure in bronze placed on the bloody battleground of Fort Mahone to commemorate the valor and heroism of Gen. John F. Hartranfi and the Pennsylvania soldiers of the Third division of the Ninth corps of the union army.

The president's speech at the memorial, at the base of which were gain-

Legislature

THE PENALTY FOR TAKING QUAIL UNLAWFULLY.

AUTOMOBILE BILL PASSED

mendment Offered Concerning Hospi tal Appropriations-Willimantic Hospital-Geo. L. Griswold's Petition.

Hartford, May 12.—The senate was called to order at 11.15 by President ore tem, Brooks, Prayer by Chaplain Penalty for Taking Quail Unlawfully On the motion of Senator Fenn the senate reconsidered its action in pass-ing senate bill No. 48 converning the billing of quall. Senator Fenn offered an amendment that the penalty for

the violation of the law be a fine of not less than \$1 nor more than \$50, and a similar fine for each quail un-lawfully taken. The senator said that

Cities and Boroughs Unfavorable on bills concerning the city of New Haven, as follows: Making the junitor

250th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION of the

Founding of Norwich, July 5th and 6th

stone State and of the Old Dominion who fought the battles that made the enduring shaft significant, was a studied tribute to the north and to the south. Mr. Taft was anstinted in his recognition of the heroic deeds of both sides. The "Common Heritage of Heroism" was his theme. Enduring good, he believed, had come from the strife which had been inevitable. In his later speech however when he had Heroism" was his theme. Enduring good, he believed, had come from the strife which had been inevitable. In his later speech, however, when he had ceased to be the guest of the Virginia commonwealth, extemporaneously addressing a big and enthusiastic throng. Mr. Taft began in a humorous vein by twitting the governor of Virginia. Mr. Swamson, on the rare git of being able to make four speeches in one lay. Then he suddenly became serious and for fifteen minutes held his audince in silence as he outlined in a genural way his life. ence in silence as he outlined in a gen-eral way his ideas of a citizenship which in the north and the south alike should carry the country forward to permanence of prosperity and an ever

rious future. The eventful day was brought to a lose tonight with a lawn fete and reception on the Center Hill Mission

Bill Before Judiciary Committee Said to Have Some Opposition.

(Special to The Bulletin.) Hartford, May 19.—The bill under the provisions of which Judge George E. Parsons clerk of the New London county superior court, is to receive an added \$500 to the salary of \$3,000 which he already draws and Assistant Clerk Norman will have his salary fore the committee on the judiciary but there is some doubt as to whether these increases will be recommended though several Norwich lawyers appeared to tell the committee how dili-gently these gentlemen work and how greatly they deserve the increases. It is understood here that there is local opposition to them, however, and that they will not get through the general assembly without a fight. In a year when expenses are being cut and the state is up against it to find money to pay proper expenses, a fight against increases of this sort would have a fair chance of success. To begin with, of

course, the tudiciary committee may \$330,000 IN ATTACHMENTS On Personal and Real Estate of Mrs. Aurel Batonyi.

Newport, R. I., May 19.—Personal and real estate of Mrs. Aurel Batonyi, formerly Mrs. Burke-Roche, her father, Frank Work, and Frank K. Sturgis, all New York, are attached in "an ac ion of trespass in a case of trover rought by her husband, Aurel Batony te papers in which were filed today at ity hall. According to the papers, to attachments aggregate \$220,000 and are intended to cover the value of cer-tain property, including horses and car-riages, presents, souvenirs and other personal effects of which Mr. Batonyi laims that he has been deprived.

Baseball Team Composed Entirely o Clergymen.

Jersey City, N. J., May 19.—Jersey City is to have a summer baseball team composed entirely of clergymen, if the plans of the Rev. John L. Scudder, the First Congregational church, are carried out. It is proposed to arrange matches with teams comteams from other parts of the east.

Block Island, R. I., May 19.—The barge Britannia, which with the whaleback steamer Bay City went ashore at Southwest Point on Sunday, was flusted tonight through the combined efforts of two tugs and the revenue outter Arcadia. The Bay City is still

Trolley Car Runs Down Deaf Girl. South Windsor, Conn., May 19 .- No eing an approaching trolley car and of hearing it on account of deaf not hearing it on account of deaf-ness. Eva. the five year old daughter of Adolph St. John, ran in front of the car tonight and was so severly in-jured that it is thought she will not recover. The child was taken to the Hartford hospital.

ered many of the veterans of the Key- | tions, Reports accepted and bills re-

Excise-Unfavorable on bill making the revocation of license the penalt of violating the liquor seiling laws. Bill rejected. For a State Tax.

The committee on finance reported unfavorably on the bill for the taxation of deposits in savings departments in national banks. Senator Arnold, who reported the bill, said the committee thought the deposits ought to be taxed, but, since the banks are under federal control, the committee did not see how they could be taxed. Report accepted and bill rejected.

Automobile Bill Passed. the bill known as the "antomobile law" or technically "an act amending an act concerning the registration, num-bering, use and speed of motor ve-

Senator Blakesles explained the lowing hospitals statutory: St. Fran-cls' hospital, Hartford, \$10,000 annu-Bridgeport hospital, \$7,500; St. Mary's Waterbury, \$5,000. Senator Higgins offered the follow-

'All appropriations to hospitals by the general assembly shall be expended under the direction of the governor of the state, and the man-agers of said institutions, respectively, for the support of charity patients, and so used as to benefit the state as application may be made from time to time; a report of which expenditure shall be made biennially to the general assembly; provided, however, that no part of said appropriations shall be pair to any of said hospitals unless the same be in actual operation, unless the purpose for which an appropriation is to be expended in appropriation is to be expended is for a building and is so specified in the

act making such appropriation. It is expressly provided that none of such hospitals shall charge of receive more than four dollars per week for the care of any patient when such ex-pense is to be paid by the state, except in the case of patients suffering with contagious diseases or when be-cause of the greater care required a greater weekly compensation is agreupon by the comptroller in behalf of

Senator Hoizer said that Bridgeport hospital ran behind in its expenses though it charges \$5 a week for char-

Senator Elakesiee said the amendment did not affect local paupers. It referred to only state paupers. Senator Middleton suggested that the bill and amendment be tabled and that the amendment be printed.

The bill was tabled in accordance with Senator Middleton's suggestion.

Calendar.

Passed—Appropriating \$5,000 for the use of Fort Griswold tract compission; appropriating \$11,250 for expenses incurred in ordering out the troops for attendance at the funeral said be could see no reason for retroops for attendance at the funeral of Governor Lilley; authorizing the railroad commissioners to order brakes on street railway cars; allowing the highway commissioner \$1,500 for traveling expenses and \$15,000 for office expenses; incorporating the Tolland County Street Railway Co., to lay a track from Street Railway Co., to posed of men from other professions the state line, a distance of this and possibly with similar ministerial the state line, a distance of thirteen miles, and providing that its capital stock of \$50,000 which may be increas-ed to \$50,000, shall be paid for in cash or its equivalent in property. Tabled-Concerning construction of highways; amending the charter of the New London County Mutual Fire city of New Britain to issue sower and street bonds; concerning the sale of eggs; concerning grants to Con-necticut Pomological society; provid-ing insurance on state capital.

THE HOUSE.

The house was called to order at 11.15 by Speaker Banks. Prayer by the house chaplain, the Rev. Franklih

Committee Reports.

Finance - Unfavorable concerning the taxation of corporations, known tured.

Condensed Telegrams

Bulletin

Lidj Jeasque, grandson of King Men ck, was chosen heir to the throne Abyssinia.

Strong Opposition Continues in Belart collections.

The New York Ice Companies have cided to stop selling 5-cent pieces to

The Republican Club's Committee of One Hundred declares for fusion in the coming New York municipal

It Was Reported that a Japanese warship would be sent to Bering sea, cwing to seizures of scalers by American and Russian vessels.

The French Parliamentary commi tee appointed to investigate reported naval scandals denounces methods of the construction department. Announcement Was Made of the

present plans for the establishment in Mesopotamia of the largest Jewish colony the world has ever seen, Striking Bakers of New York have announced that they were preparing to open twenty-five shops and that they would sell bread at cost during the

Julian W. Swift of the wealthy Chi-cago family of that name, and Miss Mary E. Miller of Lafayette, Ind., cloped in an automobile-to Hoboken

Attorney General Wickersham halt-ed the investigation of the Muskogce (Okla.) town lot fraud cases, upon receipt of charges affecting the official conduct of the federal prosecutors.

fare as white passengers cannot be legally discriminated against in the way of accommodations, according to the ruling of the interstate commer

Secretary Meyer has issued an order which practically suspends for an in-definite period the order of ex-Secre-iary Newberry that Rear Admiral Goodrich should act as general in-spector of navy yards.

HARVARD'S NEW PRESIDENT. No Ceremony When Abbott Lawrence Lowell Succeeds Charles W. Eliot as Head of University.

Cambridge, Mass., May 19.—Abbott Lawrence Lowell, who for the last ten years has been Eaton professor of the science of government at Harvard, as-sumed the presidency of the university today as the successor of Charles W. Piltot.

President Lowell took up the direc-tion of the university, which President Eliot relinquished yesterday after forty years in office, without ceremony walking quietly to the president's desk on the second floor of University hall

where he plunged resolutely into a mass of correspondence. Next October the university will for-Next Cotober the university will formally inaugurate President Lowell with elaborate ceremony. It is expected that within a short time, possibly at commencement next month, the alumni of Harvard will show its appreciation of ex-President Eliot by presenting him with a fund sufficient to enable him to live with every possible comfort the rest of his life. It is said that the fund already amounts to over \$130,000. It is now expected that the finiversity will confer upon him the degree of LL. D., which he does not hold from Harvard, and make him a professor emeritus.

as the corporate excess tax. Report accepted, bill rejected.

Appropriations — Unfavorable on ception on the Center Hill Mission grounds. The president and his party left late tonight for Charlotte, N. C. where Mr. Taft tomorrow will attend the Mecklenburg celebration.

INCREASE OF CLERKS' SALARIES.

bering, use and speed of motor velicles and the licensing of operators of sunending an act concerning public such vehicles," which he explained on Tuesday, and moved its passage. The bill was passed unanimously.

Hospital Appropriations.

Bishoular available the explained the schools, seports accepted, bills re-

schools. Reports accepted, bills re-State Prison-Unfavorable concerning sessions of the board of pardons Report accepted, bill rejected.

Order of the Day. At 11.30 the consideration of mat ers at the foot of the calendar was taken up as the order of the day. The resolution raising a commission

to investigate and report concerning the improvement of rivers and har-bors in the state was also tabled to The bill concerning the use of muf-flers of exhausts on motor boats was passed after being amended by Mr.

Bishop of New Haven.

Substitute for house bill No. 142 concerning the board of pardons was again tabled for the foot of the calcular; also the proposed act concerning the pensioning of school teachers.

An act amending an act concerning real estate liable to taxation was passed after being explained by Mr. Bishop of New Haven.
Substitute for house bill No. 142 concerning the board of pardons was passed after being explained by Mr. Dean of Glustonbury

The petition of George L. Grisweld of Groton for restoration of forfeited ights, was explained by Mr. McKachrie of Putnam. The house concurred with the senate in adopting a favorable report on the petition under suspension of the rules

Forfeited Rights.

Willimantic Hospital Again,

While the house was engaged on the order of the day, Mr. Smith of Windincludes an appropriation of \$5,000 for St. Joseph's hospital of Willinantic. Mr. Burnes arose to a point of order, asking if the measure could house was engaged on the regular or-der of the day. The speaker ruled that Mr. Smith's motion was out of

considering. The motion to suspend the rules was lost.

was lost.

When the house, later suspended the order of the day, Mr. Dormitzer of Woodbury again moved the reconsideration of the bill. Mr. Chamberlain once more oppose reconsideration, saying St. Joseph hospital will get all it is entitled to

Mr. Dunn of Willimantic made an passioned plea for \$6,000. Mr. Dormitzer asked if it is true that the sum given to St. Joseph's is less than to any other hospital. Mr. Chamberlain said it is true. The motion to reconsider prevailed

A motion to table was lost. On moion was taken.
At 1.20 adjournment was taken to

One Mile Off Mouth of the Harbor of St. John's, Newfoundland.

ALLAN LINE STEAMER MONGOLIAN

With Hundreds of Passengers on Board, Lies in Pazardous Position-Increasing Wind would Drive Vessel Ashore to a Total Wreck-At Midnight the Mongolian's

St. John's, N. F., May 19.—The Al-an line steamer Mongolian, bound from Giasgow and Liverpool for St. Line S. S. Bullion, N. S. and Phil.

lengers can escape by walking over the densely packed ice. Rescue Steamer Also Imprisoned. Rescue Steamer Also imprisoned.

Just returned from the ice-packed waters of Belle like strait, where she had been abandoned by her crew and later rescued, the constal steamer Frospero also lies wedged in the ice. between the Mongolian and the shore. The Prospero had been despatched by the agents of the Allan line here when the plight of the Mongolian became a depth of 24.4 feet.

SITUATION PERPLEXING. EVERY CLUE RUN DOWN. Additional Reward for Capture of Miss Regester's Murderer.

Providence, R. I. May 19.—The police apartment practically came to a halt oday in their search for the murderer of Laura E. Regester, the Cransion woman who was strangled on Reservoir avenue last Monday night Every possible clue they said today had been run down and Chief of Insuectors C. S. Horton stated that the situation was negularities.

Early this afternoon Gov. Aram J. Pothler announced through the Associated Press that he has offered a reward of \$500 for the apprehension of the murderer. This makes the reward \$1,250. Five hundred dollars is offered by Mayor Henry Fletcher of Providence and \$250 m are by Charles W. Regester. father of the murdered woman.

father of the murdered woman.

While creating a disturbance today at the factory where Miss Regester worked before her death, a man who said his name was Eugene Van and that he came from Scarboro, Me., was arrested. He was held until inspectors could trace his movements during the past few weeks. Late today a squad of police left the Seventh station to search for a bundle which several young women claim they saw a man throw into a clump of bushes near where the body was found early in the morning after the murder. They claim morning after the murder. T

PARIS STRIKE MAY BE FIASCO. Voted by Hotheads Against Better

Paris, May 19 .- The life of Paris was in all respects normal today, and the general strike decreed by the General rrning public federation of Labor, to begin this morning, with the building trades, promises to be a huge flasco. The movement, which was to be followed by strikes on the part of all the other trade unionists of France, was voted to the post of the business of trade unionists of trades. by the hotheads against the better judgment of the conservatives who realized that the time was not ripe for such action, and that the whole proletariat movement which had been preparing for so long, was likely to be compromised for years to come by failure.

Moreover, it was learned this morn ing that the strike had been voted by representatives of the minority. Only eighty-two out of a total of 189 union delegates favored the movement, and, with the exception of the building trades and the electricians, these delthe arrogant domination of "Kine" Patand, secretary of the Electricians'

Only a fraction of the diggers and paster of the Center Congregational masons quit work at noon, and the meeting held this afternoon was attended by not more than 1,500 men.
Nevertheless, the speeches delivered
by the leaders were highly inflammatory. They assured their followers
that the "mobilization" of the prole-

agitation as purely revolutionary, and to furnish the first test of the extent and seriousness of the movement
A soldier on duty at a branch postoffice was attacked last night and al-

charged postmen. MICHIGAN BUDGET FOR 2 YEARS More Than One Million Dollars Over

stabled to death by three dis-

Lansing, Mich., May 19,-The ble nial session of the Michigan legisla-ture, which will close tonight, adopted a budget of \$10,312,439 for the two amount there will be spread on the two years beginning July 1st next. Of this amount there will be spread on the tax rolls this year \$5.812,219 and in 1916 \$4,501.120. The budget of the session of 1907 was \$9,078,275. Among the larger appropriations in the new budget are: University of Michigan, \$1,390,575; Soldiers' home at

SMALLPOX IN NEW HAVEN. ouse adjourned before further ac. First Case in Six Years-Patient Re moved to Pest House.

Grand Rapids, \$350,000; six

asylums, \$1,914,321; fi reformatories, \$602,810.

At 1.26 adjournment was taken to Thursday at 11.15. The Williamnte hospital matter will be the first thing to come up.

Meriden Carpenter Fell Four Stories.

Meriden, Conn., May 13.—Egbert J. Weight of the disease. Wittington was found to have the disease. Wittington was taken to the pest house and a close watch placed on those who were exposed. Without the control of the pest house and a close watch placed on those who were exposed. pital it is feared that his spine is frac- tingion does not know where he contared.

CAUGHT IN DANGEROUS ICE JAM

Fosition was Unchanged, Weather Holding Good.

John's, N. F., Halifax, N. S., and Phil- continuous buttle for every foot of adelphia, with hundreds of passengers progress, when the ice barrier became adelphia, with hundreds of passengers on board, was caught in a dangerous ice jam one mile off this harbor late today and tonight was in a hazardous position. It is feared that if the wind increases before daylight the Mongolian will be driven ashore and become a total wreck. Should such an accident occur, it is thought the jassengers can escape by walking over

At a late hour tonight the weather conditions had not become more serious and the indications were that the

TEN NEW HAVEN FIREMEN OVERCOME BY GAT While Fighting a Blaze in the Moders Clothing Company's Store.

New Haven, Conn., May 19.-Ter firemen were overcome in a stubbors cellar fire under the Modern Clothing company's store, on Church street, to-night. The loss, which will amount to about \$12,000, was on the stock of the clothing company and the stock in the basement of Notkin's drug store, ad-joining, and was caused principally by water and smoke.

The fire is supposed to have been starter from crossed electric light wires, which melted the gas connections filling the cellar pull of gas. It was this gas that overcame the firemen. Captain Redmond of Company No. I was the first to succumb to the gas, and was taken to the hospital, where he was brought to, and will probably not suffer any serious effects. Four more men were taken to the hospital, but all will be out tomorrow. The other five were removed to the five houses, where they speedily re-

CONNECTICUT SONS

OF VETERANS. Twenty-fifth Annual Division Encompment at Bridgeport.

Bridgeport, Conn., May 18,-All the of the delegates have arrived for the 25th annual division encampment of the Sons of Veterans, which will open here tomorrow moraling. As a newlimnd. Vs., national commander in of, witnessed this evening the ini-ion of a class of 28 recruits into Franklin Bartlett Camp, the multer-ing work being done by Griffin A. Stedman camp of Hartford, Much interest is taken in the coming elec-tion of officers, and several spirited

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING. Of Central Conference of Congrega-

tional Churches Held at Meriden. Meriden, Coon., May 19.-The semiand was one of the most interesting and in many ways important meetings the conference has ever conference. The moderator was Dea-cen David N. Camp of New Britain. The principal business was transacted at the evening session, when it was decided that the next meeting shall be held with the First Congregational gramme committee appointed is Rev. Ray F. Carrer of Southington, William H. Catlin of Meriden and Rev. S. A. Fiske of Berlin. The conference preacher will be Rev. Dubois H. Loux,

church of this city. Stanley Wells of Newington was appointed the committee on church reports. In the afternoon a great deal of time was spent in discussing the recthat the "mobilization" of the prole-tariat had begun and soon would sweep everything before it.

M. Pauron, the principal agitator among the postmen, has been dis. missed.

The government now regards the it was decided to take no action but onamendations from the national conommerdations at the next meeting of the conference. The following mem-ters were appointed on the committee: Rev. A. J. Lord, Mariden; M. Cowles, Wallingford; David Camp, New Britain; Rev. F. W. Mele

New Britain; Rev. Herbert Macy HUGE RAILROAD MAP OF U. S. Prepared by St. Paul Railroad Co. for Golden West Exhibition.

Chicago, May 19.—A railroad map of he United States, said to be the targest ever sent abroad, has been shipped by the Chicago, Milwankee and St. Paul rallway for exhibition at the colden West and American Industries six inches high, is painted in colors on transparant cloth and is illuminated by electricity. Twenty transparencies of scenes along the St. Paul are shown

Hypnotism in Chicago Show Windows Prohibited.

Chicago, May 19.—The practice of symmetring women, boys or men and ducing them in show windows for long periods to advertise theaters where hibited by the police. They fear the practice might result in the death of the subject should fire break out where e exhibition was held

Bank Robbers Secured \$6,000. Lincoln, Neb., May 19.—Bank rob-bers secured \$6,000 from the Cairo state bank last night, demolishing the safe and building.